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1. The Cuban revolutionaries have completed the organization of their forces within Cuba and have succeeded in introducing into the country the necessary arms. It is probable that the next step will be to prepare the "revolutionary conscience" of the Cuban people, and to accomplish this the revolutionaries will begin the publication of several weekly anti-BATISTA newspapers. The revolution against the BATISTA regime, however, will not be attempted until July or August 1954.¹

2. Generals Eulogio CANTILLO and Luis ROBAINA Piedra, two high-ranking Cuban Army officers, are suspected of being involved in the conspiracy against President BATISTA and have been placed under close surveillance. It is possible that both of these officers will be retired very shortly from the Army.²

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A previous report indicated that General ROBAINA was among those persons within the Cuban armed forces who were suspected of conspiratorial activity against the BATISTA regime and who were to be discharged or forced to resign from the armed forces.

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